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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
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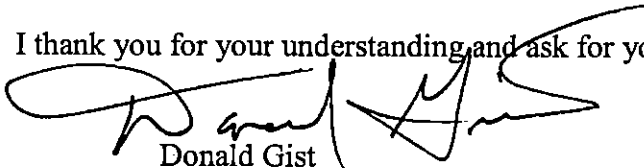
RE: Wilmot Shaw v. Psychemedics Corporation
Appellate Case No. 2017-002538
Reply to Defendant's Brief due March 29, 2018

Dear Mr. Shearouse and Ms. Shealy:

I am respectfully requesting a 15 day continuance to file the Reply Brief to the Defendant's Brief of March 19, 2018 in the above-matter. The basis for my request is that Attorney Aaron Wallace, who is the primary attorney working on this brief, suffered an extreme medical condition which required his immediate admission into Palmetto Richland Health on the evening of March 27, 2018. Mr. Wallace was in the process of submitting the Reply Brief prior to his unexpected admission into the hospital.

I am requesting a 15 day continuance and I will notify opposing counsel, Attorney S. Michael Nail, by way of copy of this letter and we have reached out to him this morning and we are waiting a return phone call regarding this emergency matter.

I thank you for your understanding and ask for your prayers for Attorney Wallace.



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